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In Re: Patent Term Extension
Application for
U.S. Patent No. 4,490,351

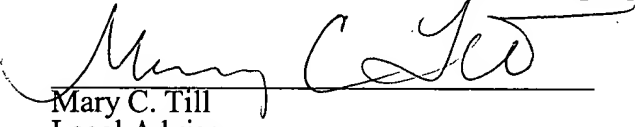
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Dear Mr Josephic :

A certificate under 35 U.S.C. § 156 is enclosed extending the term of U.S. Patent No. 4,490,351 for a period of 5 years . While a courtesy copy of this letter is being forwarded to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), you should directly correspond with the FDA regarding any required changes to the patent expiration dates.

Inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to the undersigned by telephone at (571) 272-7755, or by e-mail at mary.till@uspto.gov.


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RE: VITREON®
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(12) CERTIFICATE EXTENDING PATENT TERM
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 156

(68) PATENT NO. : 4,490,351
(45) ISSUED : December 25, 1984
(75) INVENTOR : Leland C. Clark, Jr.
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(95) PRODUCT : VITREON®

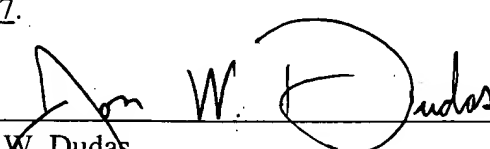
This is to certify that an application under 35 U.S.C. § 156 has been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, requesting extension of the term of U.S. Patent No. 4,490,351 based upon the regulatory review of the product VITREON® by the Food and Drug Administration. Since it appears that the requirements of the law have been met, this certificate extends the term of the patent for the period of

(94) 5 years

from March 15, 2002, the original expiration date of the patent, subject to the payment of maintenance fees as provided by law, with all rights pertaining thereto as provided by 35 U.S.C. § 156(b).



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